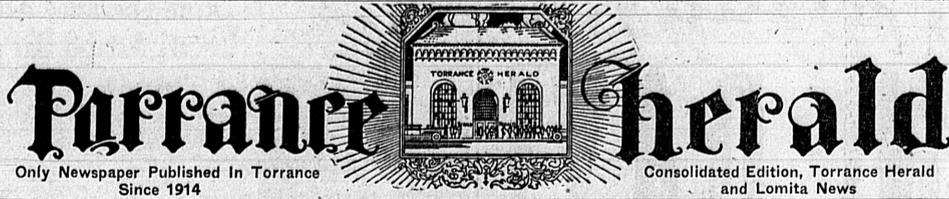


New Menu for Final Cooking School Session Here Friday

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More Than 700 Attend Opening Culinary Class in Auditorium Today

Spring Fashion Parade Added!

Providing a delightful interlude, the added attraction of a fashion parade, sponsored by the Lenae Dress Shop, 1279 Sartori avenue, and Ellwood's, 1417 Marcelina avenue, is a colorful feature of The Herald's all-electric cooking school. The two women's wear stores are providing six high school girl models with the latest in spring fashions.

Beach and sports wear from Ellwood's and spring and summer formals, afternoon and evening dresses and suits from the Lenae shop are shown both days of the free culinary instruction event. Both stores have taken their displays right from their large stocks. The models are Dorothy Elder, Azalee Harrison, Mildred Higgins, Helen Smith, Alice Taylor and Peggy Wood.

In hundreds of homes throughout Torrance and vicinity women will hurry thru their household duties tomorrow (Friday) in order that they may have the afternoon free to attend the last session of The Herald's all-electric cooking school at the Civic Auditorium. The instruction will begin at 2 o'clock and the menu will be entirely different from that demonstrated this afternoon.

The cooking school is indeed an event about which any woman might be enthusiastic. Today's first session saw more than 700 thoroughly enjoying the cookery instruction, new recipes, practical suggestions for shortening hours spent in the kitchen, exhibits of beautiful new home equipment and attractive attendance gifts.

Miss Nancy Baker, nationally-known home economist, more than lives up to advance notices of her intriguing personality and charming manner of presenting instructive, educational and altogether delightful kitchen and dietetic subjects.

Brooks is Emece in addition to Miss Baker's practical hints for better cooking technique, the larger number of valuable gifts which were awarded many women today—presents from local merchants and national food manufacturers—proved an exceptional point of interest. No wonder alert housewives are already planning to arrive early tomorrow afternoon and stay until after the last gift is given!

Ray Brooks, advertising manager for The Herald, serving as master-of-ceremonies this afternoon, kept the varied program moving right along so that there were no "dead spots" in the entertainment. The Auditorium stage was set with a model kitchen arrangement that eliminated any waste steps. The new all-electric appliances—Hot-point range, refrigerator and water heater, mixing bowls and other aids to better cookery received much attention.

"We will continue the discussion of every phase of cookery, meal planning and ideas for entertainment at tomorrow afternoon's session," Miss Baker said this afternoon. "We will prepare delightful new dishes that every woman will love and will want to prepare in turn as surprises"

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Hunger-Weakening Youth Nosedives Into Oil Sump

Hysterical from hunger and covered with crude oil from head to foot, a 22-year-old Denver, Colo., youth was found stumbling along Hawthorne avenue by Officer Curtiss Tolson early Tuesday morning. He was taken to Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital—when it appeared he was suffering from injuries.

However, after he was cleaned up a bit he was found unhurt and then removed to the police station. Here he was given an other bath, a pair of shoes, coveralls and a cap and a breakfast. He devoured every scrap of food—"you've never seen plates cleaned of every crumb like that fellow accomplished," Capt. John Stroh said.

The young wanderer, who recently arrived in the Southland

Gifts at Cooking School Listed; Aides Named

Gifts ranging from bouquets to a floor lamp will be presented to a score or more of fortunate women attending The Herald's all-electric cooking school today and Friday. The awards are an added attraction to the event that is free to all residents of Torrance and vicinity. Following is a list of the gift-donors and what they are going to award:

Southern California Edison company—floor lamp and electric clock;

National Home Appliance company—32-piece set of early California pottery and a Hotpoint electric iron;

Paxman's Hardware store—large Pyrex baking dish and cover;

Lenae Dress Shop—silk slip;

Beu Mar Beauty shop—certificates for a permanent wave and shampoo and finger wave;

Harriet Leech—two large bouquets;

Beacon Drug store—Adrienne compact and rouge;

Poppy Flower Shop—potted fern;

M. H. Tyler, 1103 Cravens avenue—50 of his patented hot-dish lifters; and

Many other gifts of foodstuffs and groceries.

Garage and Home Robbed Thursday

Sometime last Thursday night a lock was pried off Mrs. Minnie Zwaster's garage at 1305 Amapola avenue and \$6 worth of auto accessories stolen, according to police reports.

Joe Arnolds, 2487 West 23rd street, told police here Thursday evening that a table radio was stolen from his house. A window was broken to gain entrance to the residence.

Mural Gift to be Received with Ceremony

Determined to make the acceptance and first public showing of the new mural in the high school library an event of unusual distinction, students and faculty members have arranged a splendid program for that occasion, tomorrow (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Because of the limited capacity of the library, where the function will be held in full view of the 34-foot painting of Taos, N. M., Indian life, admission will be by ticket only. These have been distributed to a number of local organizations and given to all who expressed a desire to attend at the high school office.

Mildred Higgins will be in charge of the program and the principal speaker will be Nelson Partridge, Jr., state director for Southern California Federal Art Project, W. P. A. The Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Mrs. Marjorie Eischen, will sing three numbers. A fashion show of student dressmaking work is to follow, this being staged by Mrs. Bull.

Taos to be Described A description of how the mural, painted by Miss A. Katherine Steele, was conceived, its execution and installation will be given by Miss Higgins. Partridge is to speak on the Federal Art Project and present the (Continued on Page 3-A)

Drive Extension Opens with Fete

An old-time Spanish barbeque on the Frank A. Vanderlip estate near Portuguese Bend yesterday marked the completion and formal opening to traffic of the 26th street extension of the world-famed scenic Palos Verdes Drive. Among the guests present were Gov. Frank M. Ford, Sheriff Eugene Biscailuz and others.

More than 200 guests, including leading civic and business men of Torrance, San Pedro, Redondo Beach and Long Beach participated in the event. The 26th street extension, built at a cost of approximately \$300,000, adds six miles to the 30-foot highway which winds up through scenic spots in Palos Verdes Estates. The drive itself is new 18 miles in length, giving Redondo Beach and San Pedro convenient transportation facilities.

Car Crash Fatal to Robert Hall

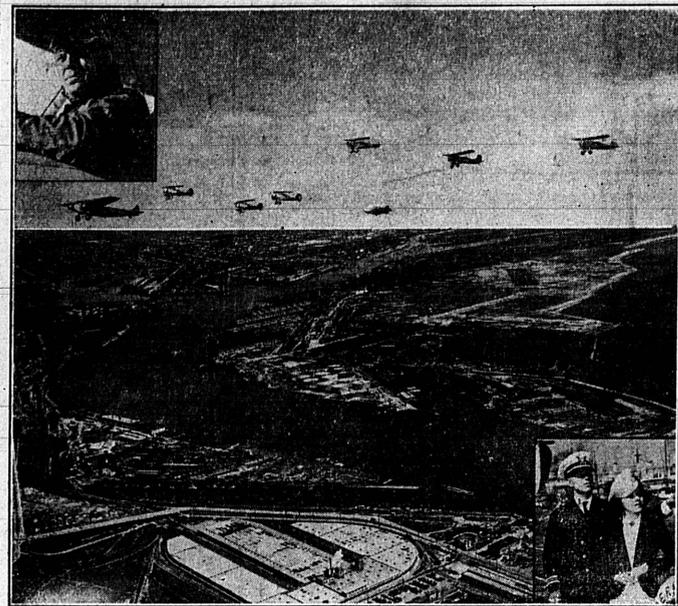
What started to be a joyous trip to Arizona where Kristi Palica, 24221 Walnut street, Lomita, and Miss Frances Bilibrey of Venice were to be married, ended in tragedy last Saturday night when Robert Lee Hall, 20, of 1967 Plaza del Amo, was fatally injured in an automobile accident.

Young Hall, son of Mrs. Florence Hall, was a member of the wedding party composed of the prospective bride and groom, Miss June Slover, who lives at the El Prado apartments, and Mrs. Irene Spencer of Los Angeles, aunt of Miss Bilibrey. En route to Indio along the Pines-to-Palms highway, Palica's car plunged over a 30-foot embankment.

The injured were rushed to a hospital in Indio where the Torrance youth succumbed Tuesday morning. Mr. Hall was employed as a machinist in Los Angeles, was born in Hynes and attended grammar school in Lomita. Mrs. Hall, the grief-stricken mother, led today to accompany the body of her son to Stockton, Kansas, where the funeral is to be held. Two brothers, Delmo and Elmo, and a sister, Mrs. Freda Burnett, also survive.

Miss Slover suffered a broken nose and several cuts and bruises. Other members of the party were also badly lacerated but were able to leave the Indio hospital after treatment. Robert (Continued on Page 3-A)

Great Port to Receive Thousands Saturday



TICKETS FOR HARBOR TRIPS MAY BE OBTAINED AT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Preparing for participation in "Harbor Day" festivities Saturday, members of Sheriff Eugene W. Biscailuz' Aero Squadron and the blimp "Volunteer" are shown in preliminary maneuvers over Los Angeles-Long Beach harbor which will play host to 1,000,000 Southern Californians. Immediately following spectacular ma-

neuvors by the Sheriff's air armada at 1:30 Saturday will be coronation as "Harbor Queen" of the beautiful motion picture star, Dixie Dunbar, shown in lower inset with Lt. Commander Charles W. Thomas of the U. S. Coast Guard pointing out to her port sights during the preview tour. Upper inset shows Captain Claude F. Morgan, commanding officer of the Sheriff's air armada.

Band to Play at Gardena Event

Authorization for the municipal band to present a concert on the afternoon of June 12 at Gardena Merchants' exposition was granted by the city council Tuesday night on request of L. J. Gilmeister, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. However, the request of the local Townsend club that the band play for a meeting Sunday afternoon, May 23, at the city scenic spots in Palos Verdes Estates. The drive itself is new 18 miles in length, giving Redondo Beach and San Pedro convenient transportation facilities.

Check Artist, Posing as Dentist, Mulcts Station of \$10

Because a local gas station attendant did not know the city's professional men, he was mulcted out of \$10 by an alleged bad-check passer here Saturday evening. A man, giving the name of Dr. Ernest Wright, and his address as 1731 Marlina avenue, walked into the service station and asked to have a \$10 check made out to himself, cashed. He said he was associated with Dr. R. A. Bingham, local dentist.

FIRST PERIOD OF HERALD'S BONUS OFFER ENDS MAY 22

By W. M. SHUTTS

Herald Campaign Manager May 22nd, just nine days from today, will mark the close of the first period of The Herald's "Bonus Check" campaign at which time the points on subscriptions will take their first decrease in value. These remaining days of this important first period are nine really important days for the campaign workers. It will take just three times as many subscriptions after the close of the first period as it does today to get the same number of points. Any worker who realizes the importance of these next nine days and who is really trying to accomplish something worth while in this campaign will leave no stone unturned but will make every effort to secure as many subscriptions and first period points as possible.

The past week was known as "Opportunity Week." During this week extra bonus points were issued for subscriptions, and almost every worker had a splendid week. Workers are quite closely bunched together for the first five top positions. Every worker should keep right on the job and make a good

2-Seater Glider Being Built Here

Working from plans and specifications developed by E. G. Rowell, 1348 Carson street, Perry Mendenhall and Guy Rowell, son of the designer, are constructing a new type of two-seater glider which they intend to enter in future Southern California glider meets.

It is said that there is only one other two-passenger sailplane in use in the Southland, this by an Inglewood enthusiast for motorless flying. Guy Rowell, who recently returned from the Hawaiian Islands where he was employed by the U. S. Army Engineering corps, holds several glider records, established when he was a student at Torrance high school.

Rare Accident Injures Man

Few and far between are injuries to men as result of a horse runaway but Lewis Army of Gardena is confined at Jared Sidney Torrance Memorial hospital because of such a rare accident in these horseless carriage days.

Any is a laborer who was employed on a Palos Verdes estate. When his team of horses ran away with him Monday he suffered a fractured shoulder and serious scalp and face lacerations.

Moore Gets Delay in Sentence

A week's continuance was granted in the sentencing of Edgar J. Moore, former local bookkeeper who plead guilty to a morals offense against a grammar school girl here recently, according to reports received this week from Los Angeles. Moore is attempting to gain probation.

ON OFFICIAL VISIT

A guest of the Torrance Kiwanis club Monday night was Dr. Newton J. Sarkisian of Los Angeles, who was making his official visit as lieutenant governor of this district.

Council Orders Water Survey in No. Torrance

Eight pairs of vigilant eyes fixed intently on the city council Tuesday night as that board decided to retain the services of a firm of consulting engineers to make a thorough survey of the North Torrance area with a view toward establishing some kind of water service in this section.

Victoria's Hose On Display at Ellwood's Here

The British Coronation did not pass yesterday without some local display of interest to former and present subjects of Their Majesties George VI and Elizabeth. On exhibit at Ellwood's, women's wear shop at 1417 Marcelina avenue, is a pair of hose worn by H. R. H. Queen Victoria, grandmother of the present king, in 1896.

The stockings were presented by the late great Queen personally to Mrs. Alfred Mitchell at Victoria's summer home, Osborne House, on the Isle of Wight. They bear the royal crest. The display at the local shop was made possible thru the courtesy of Newell Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mitchell, of this city.

Gain Noted In Tax Payments

Including more payments of delinquent taxes than has been the case for the past several years, the City of Torrance received a check for \$38,823.01 this week from the county treasurer. The payment represented the second half of the current year's taxes. City Clerk A. H. Bartlett said.

"We have received \$17,149.55 to April 1 in delinquent tax returns," he said yesterday. "This indicates that a considerable amount of local property is changing hands and the owners are clearing up old tax obligations in order to dispose of their holdings."

The delinquency only amounts to about eight percent, the city clerk said. Last year non-payment of taxes ranged from as 12 percent. The \$38,823 check deposited to the city's credit this week does not include all tax payments. Bartlett is expecting further returns within the next 30 to 60 days.

Hourly City Workers Get Paid Vacations

City employees are planning their vacations, happy over the action of the city council Tuesday night in granting each hourly-basis worker a two weeks' holiday with pay. The vacation grant was suggested by Councilman James Hitchcock.

Dr. Parrish, L.A. Health Officer, Describes Battles

One of the most militant figures in Los Angeles public life, Dr. George Parrish, city health officer for 12 years, described the advancement of public health measures thru the centuries and his own battles in behalf of cleaner food and better sanitation to members and guests of the Kiwanis club Monday night.

The gray-tatched, white moustached official, who made another of his frequent appearances Wednesday before the Los Angeles county grand jury in defense of some of his actions, gave the clubmen an insight into his strenuous efforts to "clean up" the milk industry supplying the southland. "I am faced with a \$100,000 damage suit and have been constantly harassed in moves to bring better and cleaner milk

The eyes belonged to North Torrance residents who have pressed their demands for water at the past three meetings of the council. R. F. Geardt was their spokesman again and he forcibly expressed their interest in the water matter when he said: "When are we going to have some real action—and by that I mean laying pipes to serve our homes and give us fire protection?"

Mayor William H. Tolson said the city would proceed as fast as it was legally possible and assured the North Torrance delegation that the council was deeply interested in the problem.

Cover Entire Area "Well, we're going to keep right after you fellows until we get water," Geardt, who was accompanied by his wife and daughter, declared. Other members of the North Torrance group were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dykzuel and Mrs. F. C. Wagner.

The water survey will be made within 10 or 12 days, by Taylor and Taylor, consulting engineers who assisted the city when Torrance took over the privately-owned water system.

The entire North Torrance area will be covered by the engineers and they will also investigate the possibility of obtaining water from the Moneta Mutual Water company. This study will give the council an accurate basis for further consideration of the problem which has been a thorn in the city's official side almost since the annexation of the North Torrance district, formerly known as the McDonald tract.

Mayor Tolson said he had several conferences with officials of the Moneta water concern but no definite arrangement had been forthcoming as yet for water service.

Week's Building Totals \$20,890

Like any other entity, firm or individual, the City of Torrance had to take out a building permit this week for its new \$19,790 Civic Administration building and pay the \$15 fee for such a substantial structure. Other permits issued went to Mrs. Charlotte Hopkins who is building a four-room house at 1819 West 182nd street at a cost of \$800, and T. Nagami who is erecting a moved-in house on Del Amo road at \$500 expense.

Wrong Car Forced Off Road LONDON, O. (U.P.)—Joseph L. Porter, of Cleveland, was fined \$10 when he forced a state highway patrol car off the road.

Dr. Parrish, L.A. Health Officer, Describes Battles

into the Los Angeles area but I believe I'll win out," he declared. "There was a time when my job was subject to the will of the mayor and one mayor, Cryer, ousted me for 18 months. But Mayor Shaw is backing me and my job is under civil service now so I believe I'm pretty well fixed to go on battling for a cleaner Los Angeles."

Public health, Dr. Parrish said, is a specialty in medicine. Its history parallels the rise and fall of nations because disease and filth always followed conquests and contributed to the downfall of conquerors. Disease in epidemic forms has claimed more lives than all wars combined. Beginning with Louis Pasteur in 1883, public health efforts have been increasing throughout the world, the An-

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